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SUBJECT: FARAKKA AND UN WATER RESOURCES CONFERENCE

1. DURING MARCH 3 DISCUSSION ON OTHER MATTERS, INDIAN
EMBASSY DCM (VENKATESWARAN) TOLD ASSISTANT SECRETARY
ATHERTON THAT GOI BELIEVES BANGLADESH MAY RAISE FARAKKA AT
UN WATER RESOURCES CONFERENCE SCHEDULED TO BE HELD IN
ARGENTINA IN MID-MARCH. HE SAID GOI APPRECIATES U.S. POSI-
TION THAT FARAKKA PROBLEM SHOULD BE DEALT WITH BILATERALLY
RATHER THAN MULTILATERALLY AND HOPES U.S. DELEGATION WILL
BE FULLY BRIEFED ON THAT POSITION. VENKATESWARAN SAID THAT
INDIAN FONSEC MEHTA WILL BE GOING TO ARGENTINA.

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2. ATHERTON ASSURED THE INDIANS THAT THE U.S. DELEGATION
WOULD BE BRIEFED ON THE PROBLEM.
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